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Tso et al.

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For: ANTI-PLEIOTROPHIN ANTIBODIES AND  
METHODS OF USE THEREOF

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Examiner: J. L. Grun

**REPLY**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Dear Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

This Reply is being filed in response to the Office Action dated February 4, 2010 in the above-identified application. Applicants' Petition for a three-month extension of time and appropriate fees are filed concurrently herewith. Therefore this response is timely filed. Please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the specification** are reflected beginning on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begin on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 5 of this paper.